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FOR THE SECRETARY

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SUBJECT: VISITS TO EGYPT AND LEBANON: PERSONAL MESSAGE FOR THE  
SECRETARY FROM BITSIOS

1. OVER THE WEEKEND I HAD A CHANCE TO TALK TO FOREIGN  
MINISTER BITSIOS, AMONG OTHER THINGS, ABOUT HIS RECENT  
VISITS TO EGYPT AND LEBANON. HE SAID THAT MOST OF HIS  
BUSINESS THERE WAS BILATERAL OR LINKED TO HIS EFFORTS  
TO BROADEN INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT FOR THE GREEK POSITION  
ON CYPRUS AND VIS-A-VIS TURKEY.

2. HOWEVER, HE DID ASK ME TO PASS ON TO YOU PERSONALLY  
THE HIGH PRAISE THAT HE HEARD OF YOU AND YOUR EFFORTS IN  
THE MIDDLE EAST WHEREVER HE WENT. HE SAID HE WANTED YOU  
TO KNOW THAT HE ALSO TRIED TO BE AS HELPFUL TO YOU AS HE  
COULD, BOTH IN HIS PRIVATE MEETINGS WITH EGYPTIAN AND  
LEBANESE OFFICIALS AND IN HIS PUBLIC STATEMENTS. I SAID  
I KNEW YOU WOULD APPRECIATE THIS AND THANKED HIM IN YOUR  
BEHALF.  
KUBISCH

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